

SAINT GEORGE CATHOLIC CHURCH

July 9, 2023 - 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

WELCOME!



Father John Zurek

Our Mission

We, the faith-filled community of Saint George, nourished by God's Word and His Sacraments and renewed by the Holy Spirit accept the call to continue the Mission of Christ by living in, sharing and transforming our world.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil: 4:00 PM

Sunday: 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM & 11:30 AM

Monday - Friday: 8:15 AM

Reconciliation

Saturday: 3:00 PM - 3:30 PM

Adoration / Private Prayer

Tuesday: 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM in Church
with Benediction

Monday through Friday: 11:00 AM to
Midnight in Holy Family Chapel

Parish Office

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Tinley Park, Illinois 60477
708-532-2243
www.stgeorge60477.org

Monday, Wednesday & Friday:
8:45 AM to 3:00 PM

Tuesday & Thursday:
8:45 AM to 6:00 PM

Office Closed: 12:00 PM to 1:00 PM
Monday through Friday

Parish School

6700 West 176th St.
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www.stgeorgeschool.org

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Meet Father John Zurek

To one and all at Saint George Parish,

It is a great pleasure to be here as your new Associate Pastor. Thank you for your kind and generous welcome. Over time, I hope to get to know you all better.

As for me, I was born and raised in Chicago, east of Midway Airport in Archer Heights. I attended Saint Bruno's Grammar School in Chicago, Saint Laurence High School in Burbank, and Loyola University in the Roger Park neighborhood.

I also attended the Washburne Trade School and have a degree in the Culinary Arts. You see, after high school, I went straight into the world of cooking, working my way up to a chef for the Hyatt Hotel chain. Only later on, did I enter into priesthood, as a second career, you might say.

After graduating from Saint Mary of the Lake Seminary in Mundelein in 2004, I was stationed at Saint Michael Church in Orland Park for five years; then Saint Francis of Assisi Parish in Orland Park for six years; and finally at Saint Elizabeth Seton in Orland Hills for eight years.

There is more to tell -- perhaps for a future time. But one question I should address (as I have been asked many times by parishioners in the short span of time I have now been at Saint George), "What's your favorite thing you like to cook?" With out hesitation I answer boldly, "Chocolate!" So, if you are a chocolate lover, extra kudos for you. As I start my time here at Saint George and people ask me what I like most about Saint George, I can already say, without hesitation, "Its parishioners!"

Peace,

Father John Zurek



**Become
Part of
Our
Church
Family**

If you are new to our church or just visiting, please introduce yourself. We are happy to share in this celebration of the Eucharist. If you do not have a church home, we invite you to become a part of our parish.

The Saint George Parish

Registration Team is happy to announce that registration for new parishioners will take place next Sunday (July 16), AFTER the 9:30 AM Mass in the Parish Life Center, Meeting Room 1.

Join us for coffee and a light breakfast as we welcome you into the Saint George Parish Family!

Saint George Women's Club



There is nothing more powerful than a woman who loves and serves God!

Come and join us at our next general meeting. Upcoming events will be discussed and established.

Tuesday, July 11, 2023

6:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Boardroom (2ND Floor) Parish Life Center

Saint George Summer Soul Refreshment Series

Please join us on Friday, July 14 for a musical prayer service - the second service in the Saint George Summer Soul Refreshment Series. The service will start at 7:00 PM in the church.



The theme of this prayer service will be SACRED CREATION and SAINT KATERI TEKAKWITHA, the first saint born in the United States, and the patron saint of ecology/environment, people in exile, and Native Americans. The theme will be of special interest to you if you like nature, creation, animals, ecology, Native American themes, etc., and especially the ever-present topic of thanks and praise to God!

All are welcome! Bring a friend! If you have any questions, please see Tim at the organ. Thanks.

Bread and Word



Please join us on Sunday mornings at 10:00 AM in Meeting Room 4 for Bread and Word. Bread and Word is open to all ages from middle school students to grandparents and beyond.

We open with a prayer, and then read aloud and discuss the Scripture readings of that Sunday. The discussions are fluid, and you are welcome to stop in at any point during the morning.

There is no special commitment to show up. You can come weekly, once / month, once / quarter, or even just a couple of times a year. No formal sign up is required. Just show up on a Sunday morning. The rest will take care of itself! For more information, contact Fran at ffatpts@ameritech.net or 708-828-1837. We hope you will give us a try!

Children's Faith Formation

Something to think and pray about over the summer!

Saint George Children's Faith Formation needs you to support our young disciples!



Openings include: classroom aide, hall monitor, security and traffic control, classroom substitute, and with some training or previous experience, catechist.

Requirements: Time, patience, a willingness to share your faith, and primarily a love for Jesus and a heart for children.

Our program begins in mid-September and runs through the end of April. This gives you time to discern:

- Have you been thinking that you want to get involved in ministry?
- Do you wonder if our children would benefit from your experience?
- Have you worked with children in the past and feel that you would like to return in some capacity?
- Do you believe that God has been trying to reach out to you and you just don't know which ministry is for you?

Here is what we have to offer you:

- An incredible sense of gratitude from families and students.
- A stewardship opportunity to share your time and talent.
- A beautiful bond with other adults who are involved in one form or another.
- An occasional meal.

Please pray on it! We need you!

If you would like more information or if you would like to just talk about our specific needs, please contact me at 708-532-8211 or email jlassandrello@stgeorge60477.org. I would love to talk with you about this.

Jeanne Lassandrello,
Director of Life Long Formation



TOTUS TUUS

**THE MYSTERY OF SALVATION &
DEDICATION TO THE SORROWFUL
MYSTERIES OF THE ROSARY**

July 9-14, 2023

Saint Julie Devine Center

DAY PROGRAM: 1st-6th grade

9:00 AM to 2:30 PM - Monday - Friday
\$50 per child

EVENING PROGRAM; 7th-12th grade

7:00 PM to 9:00 PM Sunday - Thursday
\$15 per teen

Fee is waived if volunteering to help at Day Program.
Service hours can be earned.

Registration available at stjulie.org,
stgeorge60477.org
and the parish offices.



AT THE BALLPARK

Sponsored by the Saint George Men's Club

FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

at Ozinga Field in Crestwood

Thunderbolts vs. Joliet Slammers
6:35 PM

Cost - \$15 per ticket (includes hot dogs,
hamburgers, pasta salad, chips and soda).

Joliet Slammers Video Game Night with
Postgame Fireworks! Appearances by Sonic,
Mario and Luigi!

Children will have an opportunity to run the
bases following the game.

Ticket information will be available soon.



TOTUS TUUS PLEASE & THANK YOU!

We are looking for the following items
for treats and games!



- Individually wrapped snacks
- Sundae toppings
- Water balloons
- Plain, unscented shaving cream



Items can be left at the rectory before July 9
or brought to the program!



You are cordially invited to the...

6th Annual Saint George Dragon Golf Classic

Friday, September 8, 2023
1:00 PM Shot Gun Start

George Dunne Golf Course
16310 Central Ave.
Oak Forest, IL 60452

REGISTER, SPONSOR, OR DONATE ONLINE AT
WWW.STGEORGEDRAGONGOLF.COM
CONTACT KELLY MURRAY WITH QUESTIONS
STGEORGEAD@OUTLOOK.COM

2023 Help Build Hope. Thank you to all volunteers and sponsors of this year's home build!



Respect Life

Declaration of Independence and Inalienable Rights

In the Declaration of Independence, Thomas Jefferson made it very clear that all human beings "are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights." First among the rights he enumerated was the right to life.

Jefferson and our founding fathers knew that without the right to life, no other rights are possible. How can one have the right to vote or the right to free speech, for example, if one does not firstly have the right to exist?

The rights mentioned in the Declaration are no less valid than those articulated in our Constitution. In fact, they are foundational to all the rights and protections which the Constitution guarantees. This applies especially to the right to life, which is not only paramount but is also clearly protected under the 14th Amendment by due process of law.

We need to impress upon our children the importance of these two documents and how they already guarantee every American, born or unborn, weak or strong, the blessings of Life, Liberty and the Pursuit of Happiness.

Vigil at Planned Parenthood in Flossmoor

Please plan to join the monthly vigil to be held at the Flossmoor Planned Parenthood abortion facility. We will gather along the public right-of-way extending from 19831 S. Governor's Highway in Flossmoor. This vigil will take place from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM on Thursday, July 27.

Public parking is available 1/2 block north of the Planned Parenthood site on 198th Street. which goes west from Governors Hwy, or along the alley that runs east from Governor's Hwy behind the Vollmer Road strip mall (parking spots facing Planned Parenthood). Express your prayers and concerns about an abortion facility located in our own neighborhood.

Saint Vincent de Paul

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

In the Gospel today we hear Jesus say: "Come to me, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest."

Your gift to the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul brings peace to those who are overwhelmed with life's burdens.

Have you considered answering the call to join the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul?

Is there a family you know who needs assistance? Please call the Society of Saint Vincent de Paul so that together we can help those who are hungry

If your family or someone close to you is in need, please contact us at 708-532-2243 x515. A representative will return your call as soon as possible to arrange a confidential conversation. Confidentiality and compassion are the cornerstones of our ministry.

Missionary Cooperation Plan



This weekend, we will be hosting a missionary visitor! The summer Missionary Cooperation Plan is an opportunity for our parish to learn about, support and be inspired by the work of missionaries ministering in another part of the world. We are pleased to receive a visit from Sister Deanna Therese Love, a representative of the Congregation of the Mother of Carmel.

The sisters of the Congregation of the Mother of Carmel serve in education, healing ministries, social work, faith formation, and parish ministry in India, Africa, America, Canada, Italy, Germany, Peru, and Iraq. Congregation dispensaries, clinics, and hospitals are the hands of Jesus compassionately healing the sick. Schools and residences provide a loving shelter for children of all backgrounds, especially those with a variety of physical and mental disabilities. Venturing into new areas of India and Africa, our sisters' revolutionary spirit initiated creative ways to meet new needs. The lives of countless vulnerable women and children around the world are being transformed through the missionary efforts of the Congregation of the Mother of Carmel.

Please continue to pray for missionaries worldwide who empower local leaders to form and nourish communities of faith where the Church is young, struggling, or economically strained. If you are able, place a donation to support this mission cause in the second collection basket. Please make checks out to the parish. Or you can make a donation online at WeAreMissionary.org/give.

Al-Anon

"Are You Bothered By A Loved One's Drinking?"

Please join us at Al-Anon Family Groups - a fellowship of relatives and friends who share their experiences, strength and hope. It is a program of understanding. You have choices and Al-Anon can help. Al-Anon meets at Saint George on Mondays at 7:30 PM in O'Connell Hall.

Electronic Giving

Give Central is an option more people are choosing. You can go to our website - www.stgeorge60477.org to learn how to make your weekly or monthly donations or use the new archdiocesan universal offertory website at: www.archchicago/support. For more information, please contact Renee Beemsterboer at rbeemsterboer@stgeorge60477.org.

Offertory Collections

Saint George Church does not "pass the basket" at the offertory. Instead, please drop your contributions in the collection boxes located near the pews in church.

Sharing Parish

Same Place - New Name

You will notice that the sharing parish envelope in your July and August envelope packet has a new name - Lord of Mercy. The name has changed, but the parish has not. Your kind donations will still be forwarded to the Harvey location. Thank you for your generous support of Saint George's sharing parish - Lord of Mercy (formerly Saint Gerard Majella)

Planned Giving

Bring Christ to the World Through Your Legacy

As we stand before God's promise to make all things new, please consider one of the greatest acts of stewardship by including a gift to our parish in one of the following ways:

- Will or Trust
- Retirement Assets
- Life Insurance Policies
- Charitable Gift Annuity

For more information, please contact Renee Beemsterboer at 708-532-2243 or rbeemsterboer@stgeorge60477.org, or visit myimpact.archchicago.org, or contact Deacon Greg Vogt, Philanthropy Officer, Archdiocese of Chicago at 312-995-0686 or gvogt@archchicago.org. For a free step-by-step guide to reviewing your estate plan, please contact Deacon Greg Vogt, Philanthropy Officer, Archdiocese of Chicago at 312-995-0686 or gvogt@archchicago.org.

Stewardship Update

Due to an early bulletin submission date, the Stewardship numbers for July 1-2 were not available at the time of printing.

We are grateful to those who continue to financially support our parish. God bless you! Your support is deeply appreciated and needed.

If you drop off envelopes at the parish office, please use the mail slot in the wall marked, "Key Deposit" which will bring them safely into the parish office.

Peter's Pence Collection

Thank you for your generous support in last week's Peter's Pence Collection! Our contributions will join those from our brothers and sisters worldwide to help Pope Francis in his ministry to the Universal Church, including relief to people in need and support for the Holy See. If you missed the collection, it is not too late to give. Visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.



Emergency Numbers

Need help? Food, shelter, housing, employment, job training, counseling, addictions, utilities, physical or mental health services, legal and financial, immigration, naturalization and refugee and senior services are provided by **Catholic Charities**. Call 312-655-7700 or catholiccharities.net.

Alcohol and Drug Abuse	1-800-821-4357
Child Abuse	1-800-252-2873
National Domestic Violence	1-800-799-SAFE
National Sexual Assault	1-800-656-4673
Compulsive Gambling Hotline	1-410-332-0402
Poison Control	1-800-222-1222
Suicide Prevention	1-800-273-8255
Elder Abuse	1-800-252-8966
Unplanned Pregnancy Option	1-800-712-4357
Abortion Pill Reversal	1-877-558-0333



POPE FRANCIS TWEET

God looks with joy upon all those who serve the needy. This is how goodness grows in the simplicity of hands and hearts stretched out to others and in the courage of the small steps that approach those who are most vulnerable in the name of Jesus.



SAINT GEORGE SCHOOL



Memories of the 2022-2023 School Year



Third and fourth graders had a special visit from author Megan Prendergast. She shared her book called "Included" and spoke to the students about the importance of being kind and including others. Wonderful lesson.



Fifth graders completed the DARE Program - Drug Abuse Resistance Education-with Officer Bishop from the Tinley Park Police Department.



Fifth and sixth graders took a morning stroll to see the Tinley Park benches. This lovely outing was followed by ice cream in the afternoon!



Eighth graders and third graders practiced multiplication facts each Friday. The eighth graders were so impressed with the speed of some of the third graders that they challenged them with facts higher than 12! Impressive for sure!

WHAT MAKES CATHOLIC SCHOOLS SPECIAL

Saint George School

Saint George Catholic School, educating today's children for tomorrow's world.
SPIRIT— GRACE—SUCCESS

We offer a safe, full-time, learning experience for students in PreK-3 through 8th grade.

We are very proud of our rich traditions and our Catholic values, which are infused into our school culture and academic curriculum.

- Students experience a 21st Century education with a one to one educational approach.
- Weekly Masses and a faith based curriculum
- Smaller class sizes
- Excellent committed faculty
- AM / PM extended day programs
- Athletic programs
- Extra curricular activities



To learn more about our school and why Saint George would be the best fit for your family, visit us at www.stgeorgeschool.org or follow us on Facebook@stgeorgeschool. Call for a tour at 708-532-2626.



EVERY FRIDAY NIGHT AT SAINT GEORGE SCHOOL

Located in O'Connell Hall and the Georgian Room
Doors open at 5:00 PM and games begin at 7:00 PM.
Come for fun and fellowship! Bring your own snacks!

For more information, call the school office at 708-532-2626.



The **Invest in Kids Act Tax Credit Scholarship Program** helps children from low-income homes receive scholarships that cover up to 100% of a Catholic school's tuition. Thanks to the generosity of our community, **Saint George School** has raised **\$2,300** and of that, **\$2,300** is being matched for a grand total **\$4,600**.

We still need your help. This year, more than 4,400 children are waiting for the opportunity to attend a school in the archdiocese with the help of the Illinois Invest in Kids Tax Credit Scholarship Program, including **34** on the waitlist at **Saint George School**.

1-for-1 Matching Program is still open! Good news. There is still about \$230,000 left in matching funds. The cap for the match is \$75,000 per school; therefore we still have an opportunity to match \$72,700.

THANK YOU! These simple steps make a difference in a child's life and will have a long-lasting, positive impact on our community because you have invested in Catholic education.

For more information, please contact the TCS hotline at **312-534-2617** or tcs@archchicago.org, or visit archchicago.org/tcs. Scan to get started today!



Please help raise your voice to state legislators, so that thousands of children can continue receiving a great Catholic education in the future. Let your legislators know you value the Illinois Invest In Kids Act, what it means to our 4,200 students from low-income and working-class families receiving these Tax Credit Scholarships, and ask them to #RemoveTheSunset!

Many deserving students would not be able to attend our Catholic schools without these scholarships. Please join us now in our efforts to #RemoveTheSunset!



Scan the QR code to contact your legislator.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 8

4:00 PM Mass for Parishioners
Ruth K. Urban+
Margaret Kniepmann+

Sunday, July 9

7:30 AM Thomas Dohm+
Kathryn Kampwirth+
David Bailey+
9:30 AM Joseph & Irene Spytek+
Carol Turton+
Sue Ohl+
11:30 AM Tom Nolan+
Deborah Wendling (Special
Intention)
Mary Kate McLain (Special
Intention)

Monday, July 10

8:15 AM Joan Stuckly+

Tuesday, July 11

8:15 AM Helen Baumann+
Marie DeMartini+

Wednesday, July 12

8:15 AM Elizabeth Edlund+
David Edmond Deloach+

Thursday, July 13

8:15 AM John & Anna Palmer+
Lynda Quistorff
(Special Intention)
Viola Jean Haughton+

Friday, July 14

8:15 AM Patricia DeLisa
Intentions of Adam Steinert
Guillermo F. Temelo+

Saturday - July 15

4:00 PM Ann Rangel+
Rita Kiely+
Bill Scott+

Sunday, July 16

7:30 AM Mass for Parishioners+
Daniel C. Disabato+
Ann Rangel+
9:30 AM Carol Vander Sanden+
Michael Palombi+
Patricia DeLisa+
11:30 AM Peter & Catherine Kiec+
Clarita Guiang+
Mass for Mothers

+ Deceased

Please Pray For...

Our Sick...

Yvonne Renee Adams, Rick Arlen, Robert Baader, Terrence Baker, Ed & Pat Barta, Kathy Bidrowski, Bernadette Bosco, Dennis Bowman, Bernie Brady, Arlene Bulow, David Charleston, Margaret Concannon, Diane Consgrave, Larry Cundary, Mary Deskovich, Paula Dettmann, Linda Dorminey, Maryann Dwornik, Steve Easton, Joseph Ellul, Phil Estrada, Darlene Everson, Ruth Galleher, Marirose Grosschadl, Ellen Hallahan, Gil Herrera, Holly Hesselschwardt, Jace Hettinger, Carol Holding, Rosemary Jablonski, Robyn (Kristinat) Jankosky, John Joe, Evelyn Knight, Pat Kukula, Gary Lassandrello, Donald Lavey, Carol Manow, Deacon Fred Mason, Kathleen Mohan, William Nelson, Sharrelle Newson, Brian & Sandy Nichols, Gwen Norvilas, Romaine Padgett, Deacon Joe Panek, Lottie Pano, Toni Pusateri, Eileen Reeves, Eunice Robey, Ben Schaefer, James J. Schmitt, Jerry Sebesta, Shirley Smiley, Burt Stewart, Delores Stewart, Mary Ann Stewart, Richard Stewart, Frank Stoecker, Tony Streeter, Lorraine Szara, Matt Taylor, Sara Taylor, Mary Theriault, Tammy Thomas, Joyce Tikalsky, Dennis Torri, Marlene Torri, Leslie Vaicik, Lisa Vari, James Walker, Shannon Wallace, Sandra Wickeham, Pat Wooleet, Bob Wyatt, Shirley Wydra, Antoinette Zaro, Richard & Mary Zdun

If you or a loved one needs prayers due to an illness, please call the parish office to put your name on the prayer list. Names are kept on the list for four weeks unless we are notified the person has not recovered.

Our Faithful Departed...

Edward M. Bernas, John J. O'Malley

Our Military...

Please remember in your prayers the following people who are serving our country: PO3 Mary Balkas (Coast Guard), Sgt. Jacob Berry (Army), SSgt. Mark Bradley (Marines), Staff Sgt. Amanda Brennan (Army), First Sgt. Robert Brennan (Army), Capt. Michael Caddigan (Army), SSgt. Brad Clemmer (Air Force), SSgt. Heidi Currie (Air Force), Lt.Col. Kevin Currie (Air Force), Maj. Patrick Currie (Air Force), Sgt. Matthew Daliege (Army), Sgt. James Dewey (Army), Maj. Christopher Doering (Army), Sgt. Jonathon M. Filca (Marines), PO2 James J. Guerino (Navy), Cmdr. Spc.4 Nathan Hesse (Army), Daniel Hollendoner (Navy), Cpl. Ryan Hollendoner (Army), L.Cpl. Jonathan Idrovo (Marines), Lt. Erin Janofski (Navy), Becky Johnston (AirSybiland John Force), L.Cpl. Bryan Johnston (Marines), L.Cpl. Ashton Kahne (Marines), A1C Dylan Knispel (Air Force), AOAA Zachary Kovalcik (Navy) Spc. Martin McCarthy (Army), Lt. Cmdr. Sean Miner (Navy), Spc. Joshua S. Mitchell (Army), Alexandra Novak, Lt. Charles W. Novak (Marines), HM3 Elizabeth O'Neill (E6 Navy Corpsman), Sgt. Jacob Pusateri (Marines), L. Cpl. Brian Richard (Marines), PFC James Rodriguez (Army), Amn. Michael Sarniak, Jr. (Coast Guard), Bo Shipan (Marines, LCPI), Camryn Shupryt (Army), Nicholas Shupryt (Army), SSgt. Alison Smallwood (Air Force), SSgt. Chaise Smallwood (Air Force), Lt. David F. Steinberger III (Navy), Spc. Alexander Waters (Army), Sgt. FC Powell Yates (Army), A1C Andrew Yock (Air Force)

If there are parishioners currently serving in the United States military, we would like to know. Please call the parish office and tell us the name of your dear one and he/she will be remembered in the prayers of our community and the name posted in the bulletin. Please indicate branch of service and rank.



Wisdom and Wine Event Saint Elizabeth Seton

Join in for this informative night and bring your appetite! On Friday, July 14, at 7:00 PM, the Saint Elizabeth Seton Social Action Ministry invites all adults, 21 and over, to attend a special Adult Faith Formation night, Wisdom and Wine, in the Saint Elizabeth Seton McBrady Center, 9250 W. 167th St., Orland Hills. Wisdom and Wine is an evening to come together for social time and spiritual development. We begin the night with a Fair Trade wine presentation with four wine pours and four surprising food pairings -- including Garrett's Popcorn and White Castles. A dessert is served with each food pairing.

Learning Through a Refugee's Journey — At 8:00 PM, our guest speaker for the night, Jody May, Director of Education and Programs for Exodus World Service, will share personal stories of refugees who have been forced to flee their homes due to war and persecution; their experience in a refugee camp; the refugee vetting process set for them as they come into our country; and the transition of becoming resilient neighbors as they begin a new life.

Ticket donation is \$10 and is available in the Saint Elizabeth Seton Parish Office, Monday through Friday from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM, Sunday from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM, and after the weekend Masses at Saint Elizabeth Seton. Tickets can be reserved to be picked up prior to the event by calling 708-403-0101, Ext. 107 or email raia@steseton.com. Tickets must be purchased and picked up by Monday, July 11. Limited seating. No tickets will be sold at-the-door. All are welcome!

The Pope's Prayer Network Pope Francis' Prayer Intention for July: For a Eucharistic Life

Monthly Prayer for Mental Health

The Eucharist offers those of us with mental health challenges a place of belonging and love. This month the Pope prays for a Eucharistic life. Mental health challenges can make us feel alone and fragile. The Holy Father has said that "In the Eucharist fragility is strength". We pray that by placing the Eucharist at the heart of our lives those of us who live with mental health challenges will find strength in the broken bread of the Eucharist, "the strength of the love that is split apart so as to join us in unity."

The Association of Catholic Mental Health Ministers
(<https://www.catholicmhm.org/click-to-pray>)



Association of
Catholic Mental
Health Ministers



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network

This Week at Saint George

Sunday, July 9

Missionary Co-Op Appeal
Totus Tuus

9:30 AM Bread & Word (MR 4)

5:00 PM Adult Volleyball League (Gym)

Monday, July 10

Totus Tuus

7:30 PM Al-Anon (O'CH)

Tuesday, July 11

Totus Tuus

6:00 PM Adoration

6:30 PM Women's Club Mtg. (BR)

7:00 PM 90th Anniversary Planning Mtg. (MR 1)

7:00 PM Baptismal Prp. (MR 3)

Wednesday, July 12

Totus Tuus

6:00 PM Summer Band (MR 1)

Thursday, July 13

Totus Tuus

9:30 AM CWSF Prayer Shawl Ministry (MR 1-2)

7:30 PM Knights of Columbus (O'CH)

Friday, July 14

Totus Tuus

7:00 PM Bingo (O'CH, GR, K)

7:00 PM Musical Prayer Service (Church)

8:00 PM Narcotics Anon (MR 3)

Saturday, July 15

3:00 PM Reconciliation (Church)

7:00 PM Adult Volleyball (Gym)

Sunday, July 16

9:30 AM Bread & Word (MR 4)

10:30 AM Parish Registration (MR 1)

11:30 AM Baptism (Church)

5:00 PM Adult Volleyball League (Gym)

Save the Date

Saint George Parish Picnic
Sunday, September 24, 2023

McCarthy Park / Jaycee Grove,
16801 S. 80th Ave., Tinley Park

Please visit the Saint George Website for
additional information about Saint George.
www.stgeorge60477.org

Like us on Facebook.

Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday, July 15 - 4:00 PM

Celebrant: Father John

Deacon: Joe Panek

Eucharistic Ministers: Tim Framke - Cup
Sue Stanton - Cup
Ron Yock - Cup
Charlene Yock - Cup
Don Clark - Bread
Fran Clark - Bread
Mary Spengler - Bread
Jim Weglarz - Bread

Lectors: Joe Shulte

Sunday, July 16 - 7:30 AM

Celebrant: Father John

Deacon: Tim Keating

Eucharistic Ministers: Sandi Rogina - Cup
Teri Ryczyn - Cup
Betsy Windish - Cup
Paul Windish - Cup
Julie Newtoff - Bread
Gary Ryczyn - Bread

Lectors: Kay Keating

Sunday, July 16 - 9:30 AM

Celebrant: Father Paul

Deacon: Tom Schtzius

Eucharistic Ministers: Karen Kiner - Cup
Nicole Olson - Cup
Nancy Opyd - Cup
Rebecca Schutzius - Cup
Tioluwalase Adelakun - Bread
Catherine Adelakun - Bread
Thomas Kavanaugh - Bread
Joanne O'Brien - Bread

Lectors: Bob Schuld

Sunday, July 16 - 11:30 AM

Celebrant: Father Paul

Deacon: Greg Bartos

Eucharistic Ministers: Tim Doyle - Cup
Jean Gaytan - Cup
Diane Wawzenek - Cup
Wally Wawzenek - Cup
Mary Cermak-Vis - Bread
Martha Pena - Bread

Lectors: Kathy Oboikovitz

Weekly Readings

Sunday, July 15

Zec 9:9-10/Ps 145:1-2, 8-9,
10-11, 13-14 (see 1)/
Rom 8:9, 11-13/Mt 11:25-30

Monday, July 16

Gn 28:10-22a/Ps 91:1-2, 3-4,
14-15ab/Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday, July 17

Gn 32:23-33/ Ps 17:1b, 2-3,
6-7ab, and 15/Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday, July 18

Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a/
Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19/Mt 10:1-7

Thursday, July 19

Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5/Ps
105:16-17, 18-19, 20-21/
Mt 10:7-1

Friday, July 20

Gn 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67/Ps
106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5/Mt 9:9-13

Saturday, July 21

Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a/Ps 105:1-2,
3-4, 6-7/Mt 10:24-33

Sunday, July 22

Is 55:10-11/Ps 65:1, 11, 12-13,
14 (Luke 8:8)/Rom 8:18-23/
Mt 13:1-23 or 13:1-9



Congratulations to

Michael Jankun & Anne Murphy
Thomas McGowan & Brittany Adams
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Sacrament of Holy
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Congratulations to the Parents and Godparents!

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Holy Family Chapel

COME TO HOLY FAMILY CHAPEL OVER THE SUMMER

You have thought about visiting Holy Family Chapel, but somehow it has not yet happened. Why not make visits during the summer to spend some quality time with Jesus in Holy Family Chapel. You will receive the grace and love radiating from Jesus present in the Sacred Host. It will not take long before you feel peace and love while in front of Jesus in the Eucharist. Even if you are not certain how to pray, just know that you are before Jesus who knows you inside-out. You might even decide to join fellow parishioners as a frequent visitor, or by taking a regular hour each week. Find an hour where you can get away from the fast pace of life to seek insight from Our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament.

Holy Family Chapel is open 13 hours per day on Monday through Friday from 11:00 AM to midnight to provide that opportunity. Use this link to get more information and to register for an hour that works for you: <http://stgeorge60477.org/eucharistic-adoration/>

Choose "Click Here To Sign Up" below the monstrance image, press "Weekly Commitment," select the hour you prefer, and enter the requested contact information. Press "Signup" to complete your registration. You will receive a confirmation email that includes instructions on how to electronically request a substitute when you might need one. If you do not have electronic access, please call Bill Beckman at 708-429-2762 to register your hour.

NOTE: Thursday 9:00 PM needs a regular adorer. While there are many hours to consider that might fit your schedule, if possible, see if one of the following hours might work as your regular hour: Monday: 1:00 PM, 2:00 PM, 4:00 PM; Tuesday: 2:00 PM; Wednesday: Noon, 1:00 PM; Thursday: 2:00 PM, 7:00 PM, 9:00 PM; Friday: 1:00 PM, 2:00 PM, 5:00 PM. If making a regular hour is difficult because your schedule changes, please consider becoming a substitute adorer by pressing "Become a Sub" (under "Weekly Commitment").

Tinley Park Food Pantry



Donations of non-perishable food for the Tinley Park Food Pantry can be brought to Saint George Church on the third weekend of each month. The next collection will take place next weekend (July 15-16). Please note: We cannot accept food items that are past the expiration date or partially opened.

Thank you for your generosity!

Mass Schedule

Weekends

Anticipated Mass on Saturdays at 4:00 PM

Sundays at 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM

The 4:00 PM Mass on Saturday and the 9:30 AM Mass on Sunday are broadcast via 101.7 FM to the parking lot. Please park on the east side of the parking lot by 175th Street. Communion will be brought to your car.

The Saturday 4:00 PM Anticipated Mass is live streamed on Facebook, then posted to the parish webpage and YouTube.

Weekdays

Monday through Friday at 8:15 AM

Reconciliation

Saturdays -
3:00 PM to 3:30 PM

Eucharistic Exposition and Benediction

Tuesdays -
6:00 PM to 7:00 PM in Church

Eucharistic Exposition

Monday through Friday -
11:00 AM to Midnight in Holy Family Chapel

Rosary

Before Morning Mass
Monday through Friday
Starting at 7:45 AM.

Parish Information

BAPTISMS will take place at 1:00 PM on the first Sunday of the month and at the 11:30 AM Sunday Mass on the third Sunday of the month. The family must be registered. A baptismal preparation program is obligatory in advance; please call the parish office to register and for more information.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS is a program for anyone inquiring and seeking information about entering the Catholic faith. Contact the parish office.

WEDDING arrangements must be made four months in advance of the wedding date. You must be a registered parishioner for six months prior to making arrangements. Please schedule your church date before reserving your hall.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK / RECONCILIATION can be arranged by contacting the Parish Office to have a priest celebrate the sacraments with the person who is seriously ill or homebound.

HOSPITAL VISITS can be made by our priests or deacons, if notified by family members or friends. Although sacramental needs of patients are administered by the hospital chaplain or by a local priest, in an emergency, Saint George clergy will respond to sacramental needs.

MINISTRY OF CARE: Mandated Agape Ministers of Care are available to visit, pray with, and bring Holy Communion to those who are sick and unable to attend Mass. Notify the parish office when this service is needed.

REGISTRATION: We welcome new members with open arms. Please call the parish office for more information.

STEWARDSHIP involves your time, talent and treasure. Contact the parish office for assistance in getting started in any of the Parish's ministries and organizations. Please remember Saint George Parish when planning your estate or preparing your will.

MASS: Each week, we will celebrate a Sunday Vigil Mass on Saturday at 4:00 PM, and three Masses on Sunday - 7:30 AM, 9:30 AM and 11:30 AM, as well as a weekday Mass Monday through Friday at 8:15 AM.

RECONCILIATION: Every Saturday from 3:00 PM to 3:30 PM.

ADORATION AND PRIVATE PRAYER: In church every Tuesday from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM. 11:00 AM to Midnight Monday through Friday in the Adoration Chapel. You may come and go as is convenient for you during this time.

FUNERALS, BAPTISMS AND WEDDINGS: To make arrangements, please call the parish office at 708-532-2243.

BULLETIN INFORMATION provides updates on parish and Archdiocesan events. Please submit articles or recommendations to bulletin@stgeorge60477.org by 4:00 PM on the Friday ten days before publication date. Because of space limitations, articles regarding Saint George activities and information, as well as Archdiocesan events and news will take priority. All articles are subject to editing and will be published at the discretion of the Pastor. No guarantees can be made as to size or placement of the articles.



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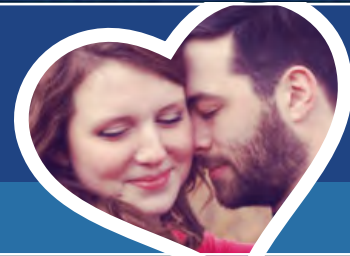
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